



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 5270**  
Takanori SHINOKI et al. : Docket No. 2000\_0465A  
Serial No. 09/529,255 : Group Art Unit 1771  
Filed April 11, 2000 : Examiner Terell H. Morris  
SUPPORT MEMBER FOR SEMIPERMEABLE **MAIL STOP: RCE**  
MEMBRANE

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED  
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Sir:

Petition hereby is made for a three month extension of time to respond to the communication of  
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- (X) submitted herewith.  
( ) to be charged to Deposit Account No. 23-0975. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.  
(X) Small entity status of this application is established by a Small Entity Status Assertion which  
( ) is enclosed.  
(X) has been previously submitted.

Respectfully submitted,

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